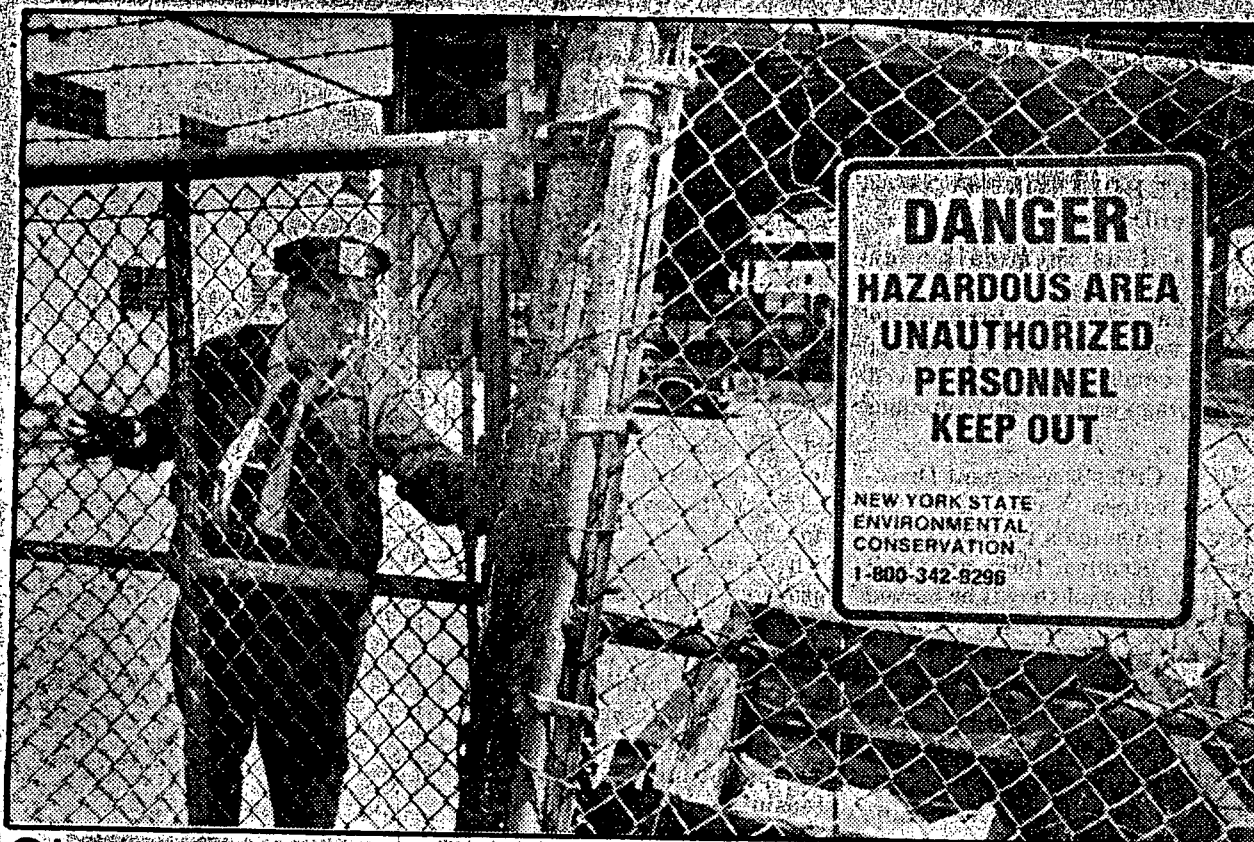




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## Clean-up under way

Ken Felix, a security guard at the now defunct Bossert Manufacturing Corp. on Oswego Street, checks gates around the premises where the federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) this week began removing hazardous waste. The clean-up could take up to two months and cost the EPA up to \$200,000, city Civil Defense director Charles Ferro has said. The complex of West Utica buildings has been posted by the state as hazardous areas and are restricted to authorized personnel engaged in the clean-up.